

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: DRAHM
 SERIAL NO.: 10/693,606
 FILED: October 27, 2003
 FOR: PROCESS METER



GROUP ART UNIT: 2855
 EXAMINER: T.K. Bellamy
 ATTY. REFERENCE: DRAH3008/FJD

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
 No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	38	- 35 ¹	= 3 ³	$\times \$25 =$	$\times \$50 = \150.00
Independent Claims	6	- 3 ²	= 3 ³	$\times \$100 =$	$\times \$200 = \600.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$180 =	+ \$360 =
				TOTAL	\$750.00

¹ If less than 20 enter 20.

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- Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of \$ 750.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- Also enclosed is/are:RESPONSE

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RESPONSE

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Introductory Comments

The following amendments and remarks are being submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.112 in response to the Office Action of May 30, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

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02 FC:1202 150.00 DA